IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
**	: Examiner: Unassigned
HIDEKI YOSHINAGA, ET AL.)
	: Group Art Unit: 2821
Application No.: 10/553,038)
	: Confirmation No.: 6783
Filed: October 11, 2005)
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For: DISPLAY APPARATUS) March 14, 2008

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.181 OR CONDITIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(a) AND M.P.E.P. §711.03(c) TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to restore pending status to the above-identified abandoned application. This Petition is accompanied by:

- A Declaration Under M.P.E.P. §711.02 of Scott D. Malpede; and
- 2) A Declaration Under M.P.E.P. §711.02 of Mark Chanderdatt, together with an exhibit of docketing records concerning due dates for Patent Office filings for the relevant periods in the above-identified application.

FACTS

On January 29, 2008, the undersigned law firm received a Notice of
Abandonment mailed January 22, 2008, regarding the above-identified application. The Notice
stated that the application is abandoned because a response to a Notification of Missing
Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (Notification) mailed August 31, 2006, has not been filed.
However, Applicants never received such a Notification in the above-identified application, as
evidenced by the attached Declarations of Scott D. Malpede and Mark Chanderdatt, and therefore
were not aware of any requirement to file a response to the Notification.

REQUEST

Accordingly, the Commissioner is hereby requested to revive this application by withdrawing the Notice of Abandonment mailed January 22, 2008, to remail the Notification and to re-set period for response thereunder.

FEE

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No.

06-1205 for any petition fee which may be due. However, since Applicants believe that the abandonment occurred through no fault of their own, no fee should be due.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C.

office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

/Scott D. Malpede/

Scott D. Malpede Attorney for Applicants Registration No. 32,533

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DECLARATION UNDER M.P.E.P. §711.02

Sir:

- I. Scott D. Malpede, declare and say that:
- I am a partner in the law firm of Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto, 30
 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, New York 10112, and am an attorney of record in the above-identified application. I am the attorney in the law firm who is primarily responsible for the prosecution of the subject patent application.
- On January 29, 2008, a Notice of Abandonment dated January 22,
 2008, was received by the law firm in the above-identified application. The Notice of
 Abandonment indicated that a reply has not been received in response to a Notification of
 Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (Notification) mailed August 31, 2006.

However, after reviewing the pertinent records, including the entire file of the subject application, and the Declaration of March Chanderdatt dated March 7, 2008, and the attached exhibit thereto, I have concluded that the law firm never received the Notification in the above-identified application.

Date: March 14 2008

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DECLARATION UNDER M.P.E.P. §711.02

Sir:

- I. Mark Chanderdatt, declare and say that:
- I am employed by Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto, 30 Rockefeller
 Plaza, New York, New York 10112 as a docket clerk professional. My responsibilities include docketing the receipt of documents from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO), and maintaining records of such documents and records of periods of response thereunder.
- All communications from the PTO are directed to me immediately upon receipt within the firm.
- 3. Each and every communication I receive from the PTO is logged into a Day Book Report on the day it is received, along with a due date for responding to the communication. I have reviewed the entries in the Day Book Report concerning the period from

August 31, 2006, through September 30, 2006. Those entries do not include an entry indicating receipt of a Notification of Missing Requirements Under 37 U.S.C. §371 (Notification) or any other PTO paper concerning the above-identified application. Accordingly, I conclude that no Notification dated August 31, 2006, was received for the subject application.

- 4. In addition to my responsibilities, as stated above, for maintaining records of documents received from the PTO, I also calculate and record in a Docket Book the date upon which responses to such PTO communications are due. The response due date to a August 31, 2006, Notification would have been October 31, 2006. The entries in the Docket Book on that date do not indicate that any response to a August 31, 2006, Notification in the above-identified application was due.
- 5. In addition to the above procedures and practices, I also maintain a computerized Master Docket in which is recorded the due date upon which a response to such PTO communication is due. The entries in the Master Docket on that date do not indicate that any response to a August 31, 2006, Notification in the above-identified application was due. A copy of a computer printout of the Master Docket is attached hereto as Exhibit A showing the last three digits of each application number having a due date on October 31, 2006. Again, Exhibit A does not refer to the above-identified application.
- 6. Further to the above procedures and practices, I also maintain a computerized file for each application which summarizes all of Applicant's filings and PTO communications. The computerized file of the subject application shows no indication of a Notification being received.

 Accordingly, from a review of all of the above-referenced records, it is my belief that the firm never received the Notification.

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